


MCC WaterWorks Giving Calendar

Color in a ripple of water below each day after you give and watch the bucket fill up.
Use a small bucket or pail to collect your money. Send your collection directly to MCC or through your church.


fill the bucket

- DAY 28** "When the poor and needy seek water, and there is none, and their tongue is parched with thirst, I the Lord will answer them." (Isaiah 41:47) Give 50¢
- DAY 27** "Those who are generous are blessed, for they share their bread with the poor." (Prov. 22:9) Give 22¢ 
- DAY 26** "If your enemy ... is thirsty, give him water to drink." (Prov. 25:21) Today, try to share with a person who isn't nice to you. Give 40¢
- DAY 25** 70% of the Earth's surface is covered by water. Yet only 2.5% of the world's water is fresh, while 97.5% is salty. Help to share by giving 25¢
- DAY 24** The average North American uses over 170 gallons of water a day, more than 7 times the world average. Try to use less water today. Give 50¢
- DAY 23** In Brazil, Geralda Maria dos Santos says, "When neighbors who do not yet have a cistern ask for water, I give them some." Share 35¢
- DAY 22** Jesus said, "And if anyone gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones ... he will certainly not lose his reward." (Matt. 10:42) Give 40¢



enough to share

- DAY 21** MCC is helping build a concrete canal in Vietnam to provide water for rice fields. What other systems transport water? Give 40¢
- DAY 20** In Kenya, MCC is building dams made from sand to provide more water to grow food. Give 25¢ if you have played in a sandbox.
- DAY 19** In China, Su You Ru stoops to water his watermelon seeds.  Give 25¢ so more cisterns can be built.
- DAY 18** Have you ever heard of a cistern? If not, look it up to see how people in Palestine are saving water to grow food. Give 30¢
- DAY 17** Almost 70% of all available freshwater is used for agriculture. Give 70¢ to help ensure that people in need get water to grow food, too.
- DAY 16** Ethiopia is facing a severe food crisis as a result of drought. Give 50¢ to help.
- DAY 15** People have trouble watering their crops in Bolivia. If you have ever run through a sprinkler, give \$1 so Bolivians can use irrigation pumps.

enough to grow food

- DAY 14** Today, see how much water you use to wash and think about how to use less. Give 40¢ 
- DAY 13** Two-thirds of U.S. household water use is in the bathroom — 4-6 gallons per toilet flush and 2 gallons for brushing teeth. Give 23¢
- DAY 12** If water is not free of bacteria it can still be used for bathing, washing clothes and cleaning. Every little bit is useful. Give 45¢
- DAY 11** Jesus said, "Now that I, your Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet" (John 13:14). Give 27¢
- DAY 10** Many people live without access to running water. How would your life be different without running water? Give 45¢
- DAY 9** The World Health Organization says good health and cleanliness require 8 gallons of water a day per person. Give 50¢
- DAY 8** In Mozambique, MCC has installed wells that people use to do laundry. Give 10¢ for each article of clean clothing you put on today.

enough to wash

- DAY 7** Over 1 billion people do not have access to clean water to drink. Give 10¢ for every glass of water you have today.
- DAY 6**  Give 75¢ so that Zete doesn't have to walk as far to get water in Brazil.
- DAY 5** In Bangladesh, MCC is cleaning contaminated well water with sand filters. Give 20¢ for every glass of filtered water you drink today.
- DAY 4** Only 1% of the earth's water is available for drinking; 2% is frozen. Give 30¢ for each ice cube you use today.
- DAY 3** Give 25¢ so that Thaw Oil from Laos can drink from the well. 
- DAY 2** Do you have a water fountain at school? Give \$1.67 so that a child in Vietnam can have clean drinking water at school.
- DAY 1** Did you know people can survive 2 months without food, but will die in 3 days without water? Give 50¢ to help thirsty people.

enough to drink

